

# THE HAMLIN HERALD

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## If You Have No Canner You Can Make One!

"All authorities on home canning advise that non-acid vegetables be canned by processing (cooking in jars) in a steam pressure cooker because a pressure cooker is the only household utensil that can retain a much hotter than boiling temperature. High temperatures are desirable when canning beans, peas, corn, greens, etc., because they insure more certain destruction of bacteria and because the canning can be done more quickly. But," says Gladys Kimbrough, Home Service Director of Ball Brothers Company, who heartily approves using a pressure cooker whenever possible, "the time is at hand when we must be practical. Don't worry if you can't buy a pressure cooker for surely you can find a wash boiler, lard can, baby bath tub or some deep container in which water can be boiled. Tack a few strips of wood together to make a rack or platform to hold the jars about one-half inch from the bottom of the container. Find something, even if it has to be a board, to use as a lid. Then you will have a water-bath canner for those Victory garden vegetables.

"You are afraid to eat vegetables canned that way? Nonsense! A lot of folks who say a water bath can't be used were raised on vegetables canned by that method. But let's get three things clear before we go any further: first, there have been a few instances of poisoning from eating canned vegetables; second, all such danger can be avoided by boiling the canned vegetables 15 minutes before tasting or serving—they should be re-boiled before serving if left over from one meal to the next; third, a pressure cooker is not a guarantee against spoilage. There will be spoilage if the pressure gauge registers too low or if poor judgment is used in the selection, preparation, and packing food into the jars. And do not let anybody tell you otherwise.

"Now back to the water bath. The water should be steaming but not boiling when the jars are lowered into it and deep enough to cover the tops of the jars two or more inches. No, water won't get into the jars if directions are followed. The water should be brought to boiling as quickly as possible and kept boiling steadily throughout the canning period.

"Any jar suitable for use in home canning (and only those with names lettered on them are suitable) may be used for water bath processing. Mason jars may be sealed with one piece zinc cap and rubber—if you can find the caps—with glass top seal or with two-piece vacuum seal caps. Glass top seal closures and vacuum caps seal on the top edge of the jar, therefore it is necessary to make sure the top edges of the jars are even, smooth, and perfect in every respect. The bands are screwed down tight on the vacuum seals as soon as the jars are filled to within from one to one-half inch of the top, and should not be tightened again. Zinc caps are screwed down on the rubber bands and then loosened slightly. Bands for glass top seals are screwed down and then loosened. This tightening and loosening is called "partly sealing" and should always be done before jars are placed in a canner. Seals are completed by tightening caps or bands immediately after processing.

"Then there is the jar with a glass lid and rubber ring held in place with wires—it is ideal for canning, especially when fitted with high-tension, stretch-proof, steel wire. It is partly sealed before and completely sealed after processing.

"Those who select vegetables that are young, tender, and right out of the garden, and waste no time in washing them clean, cooking them five to ten minutes, and pouring into clean, hot jars and processing immediately, will live to laugh at those who say it can't be done. It is the Cans, not the Can'ts, who are going to win the war on both home and battle front."

Dr. and Mrs. Milton Bessire of Dallas are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bessire, before going to Winston Salem, North Carolina, where Dr. Bessire will intern. They are accompanied by Miss Annie Kirkpatrick of Abilene, a sister of Mrs. Bessire.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cotten and son are visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Eivens at Lubbock.

## Lions Club Cleans Up Service Men's Window

The Lions Club sponsored Service Windows have a new dress! Tuesday night the committee, A. Spencer and Harry Dodson met at the Red Cross room to work the windows over and were joined by other good

Many pictures are on display, but there are still many more boys from this community who are not represented in these Service Windows. If you know of a boy in service who is not honored by having his picture in one of these windows, please help us secure a picture.

A. Spencer  
Harry Dodson

Lions, Herman McBride, George Malouf, Roy Gilbreath, Howard Nall, and Haskell Carter.

All the pictures were taken from the windows, dusted and straightened in their frames and names and rank attached.

Windows were washed inside and out and the floor swept and dusted. Shelves for better display were installed and some of the pictures were hung on the wall. A standing committee will look after the windows in the future and keep things in good order.

## Thanks To Customers

We wish to thank each and every one of you for the business you have given us in the past and hope to serve you again in the future. I was forced off the route and did not get to thank each one. Anyone owing me please leave at Wilcox Feed Store.

MRS. H. A. PERKINS

## University of Texas To Offer Religious Courses

Austin, Texas — University of Texas students will have the opportunity to add religious education courses to their summer program this year for the first time.

Bible and religious education courses have for many years been taught in the long session, but this is the first time they have been available in the summer. Religious educators say they expect a much larger than usual influx of new students this summer, due to the war-accelerated training program and the University's new calendar of three 16-weeks terms, and they wish to make it possible for these students to start religious education along with their academic training.

This work, while not offered as part of the University curriculum, may be taken for credit toward University degrees. It is given under the auspices of the Association of Religious Teachers, composed of educators attached to the various churches in the University community.

Courses to be offered this summer, beginning July 5, include Life and Teachings of Jesus, Life and Letters of Paul, the Social Teachings of Jesus, and the Family as a Moral and Religious Agency in Religious Education.

## NAZARENE CHURCH

Our revival is starting off well. Bro. Battin is doing some preaching of the Word that all people should hear. These are days when all men need help from God to enable them to face the tests of this age, and through the preaching of the Bible we all may receive strength, courage and faith.

We urge that you attend these services each evening promptly at 9:00 o'clock and each morning at 10:00 o'clock.

Our Sunday School will open at 9:45 A. M. Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M. Bro. Battin will preach. N. Y. P. S. will meet at 8:00 P. M. An Evangelistic service begins at 9:00 P. M.

Come to church Sunday and bring your family and friends.

Don't forget two services a day all next week at the Church of the Nazarene.

Dan D. Jones, Pastor

## RATION REMINDER

GASOLINE—"A" book coupons No. 6, good for four gallons each until midnight, July 21st.

SUGAR—Coupon No. 13 good for 5 lbs., through August 15. Coupons No. 15 and 16 are good for 5 lbs. each for home canning purposes. Housewives may apply to their local boards for additional rations if necessary.

COFFEE—Stamp No. 24 (1 lb) good through June.

SHOES—Stamp No. 18 in War Ration Book One good for one pair through October 31st.

MEATS, Etc.—Red stamps, J. K. L. M and N good through June 30.

PROCESSED FOODS—Blue stamps K, L and M will continue good through July 7.

## 4-H Boys Honored For Production Of Food

Six Jones County 4-H Club boys, Wayne Ashburn, E. B. Clifton, Borden Manley, Junior Welsh, Glenn Reeves and Alvin Jensen were honored by Camp Barkeley June 18th for their efforts in behalf of food production.

In addition to seeing army training and equipment in detail the boys were told by Lieut. Drury, a former 4-H Club member, that though they were too young to fight they could distinguish themselves in food, feed and fiber production. James M. Binion, County Agent, was with the boys.

## FIRE DESTROYS FARM HOME JOHN ED DAY SOUTH TOWN

Fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed the farm home of John Ed Day, and all contents, just South of Hamlin on the banks of the creek last Saturday afternoon.

The Fire Department answered the call but the fire had such headway that the building could not be saved. However, the fire was controlled to the extent that other nearby buildings were saved.

The house was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Jake Farmer, who lost all household furnishing and their clothing.

## DR. L. S. MAGEE TAKES SHORT VACATION

Dr. and Mrs. L. S. Magee returned Friday from a week's trip to the Valley where they had gone to give Dr. Magee a much needed rest. Accompanying them to do the driving was their daughter, Miss Katherine Magee and Miss Maudell Farrow.

While away they visited their daughter, Mrs. J. A. Wilhite, and family in Harlingen and made a trip across the border into Mexico.

Misses Maidel and Arnel Sorenson and Rozena Helton returned to their home in Wheeler Friday after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. Barry and their daughter, Betty Jayne.

## EDITOR IN DALLAS

Since last Friday Bowen Pope, Editor of The Hamlin Herald, has been in Dallas for medical treatment, so if news is scarce this week...we just could not get around to get it all.

Latest report is that Mr. Pope's condition is much improved, and he will likely be able to come home by the first of next week.

## No Serious Labor Shortage Jones Co.

From all reports to the County Agent's office, there is no serious labor shortage at this time in Jones County with the possible exception of trained tractor operators. Farmers, farm women and children are attempting to solve the problem by themselves by that good old policy of "neighborly help", trading labor from farm to farm and neighborhood to neighborhood, seems to be solving the cotton chopping and hoeing problem.

Lack of trained tractor operators has increased the amount of hoeing due to the inability of available operators to get to the crops in time. Some farmers report that there is plenty of labor available if they could compete with business and industrial wages.

For those farmers who are in need of farm labor, the County Agent is in position to render assistance through the New Farm Labor Program recently established by Congress.

## Encampment

The Intermediate Encampment for boys and girls of the Abilene district will be held at Buffalo Gap next week. Dr. C. A. Bickley, district superintendent of the Abilene district, will have general supervision of the camp.

About 150 boys and girls attended the camp last year. About ten boys and girls are expected to attend from Hamlin. The Rev. J. E. Harrell is to teach a subject at the camp.

## METHODIST CHURCH JAMES E. HARRELL, Pastor

Sunday School at 10 A. M. Morning Worship at 11 o'clock. Youth Fellowship program at 7:30 P. M.

Evening service, 8:30. The Woman's Society of Christian Service will not meet Monday afternoon.

Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 8:30.

The pastor will bring the sermon messages at both the morning and evening services next Sunday.

Don't let the hot summer days keep you away from church. If you think it too hot to attend church, remember it is a lot hotter in that place where non-church-going people go.

We are always glad to have visitors in our services.

## Mrs. A. H. Abernathy Died In San Angelo After 3 Days' Illness

Friends of Mrs. A. H. Abernathy were shocked and grieved Thursday morning of last week, when they learned that she had died in San Angelo that morning. She had been ill but three days and only her closest neighbors and friends knew of her illness. Sunday night, June 13, she was taken by ambulance to the San Angelo Clinic Hospital for treatment, arriving there Monday Morning at 1:20. She died Thursday morning at 7:30 from heart trouble and pneumonia.

Funeral services were held Monday, June 21, in San Angelo in the Robert-Massey Parlors, conducted by the Rev. A. C. Donath, pastor of the First Baptist church of San Angelo. Burial was in Fairmont Cemetery.

Mrs. Abernathy was born January 22, 1885 in Mart, Texas, and at the time of her death was 58 years, 5 months and 25 days of age. Her maiden name was Dora M. Ferguson.

On November 23, 1902 she was married to A. H. Abernathy in Waco where they made their home for three years. Then they moved to Merkel, Big Spring, Sweetwater, Hamlin, and on to San Angelo where they made their home for twenty-five years. Mr. Abernathy is employed as an engineer on the Santa Fe Railroad. In 1932 they returned to Hamlin, where they have since lived.

Mrs. Abernathy was a member of the First Baptist church of Hamlin, and was an active member of the T. E. L. Class of the Baptist Sunday School.

Surviving are the husband, one daughter, Mrs. Archie Myers, of San Angelo, and three sons, James E. of Hamlin, George B. and Allen S., both of Chicago. All were present for the funeral. Others attending were a brother of Mrs. Abernathy, Robert Ferguson of Hico, and a niece, Mrs. T. C. Robertson, of Hamlin. A sister, Mrs. Frank Heath of Laredo, a brother, Eddie Ferguson of Waco, and a niece, Mrs. Gaylon Robertson of Pampa, were unable to attend.

Pall bearers were W. R. Harmon, John P. Balch, R. D. Freeman, J. B. Davenport, H. H. Allen and B. Moseley, all of San Angelo.

## Agricultural Show Will Be Held In Rotan 30th

Enjoy the only Agricultural Show in Fisher County, 1943, June 30th. The Show will be held at the High school building.

The Fisher County Dairy Cattle and Products Classification Day. Everything is evident that we should have a profitable show both from the number of entries and the educational angle.

Guest speakers, E. R. Eudaly of A. & M. College, Texas.

Chas. Stephens, Louisiana S. U., Baton Rouge.

I. B. Duck, president West Texas Jersey Cattle Club.

PROGRAM

10 to 11 A. M.—Judging contests of both Dairy Cattle and Products.

11 to 12:30—Educational talks on Good Dairy Management.

12:30 to 1:30—Lunch.

1:30 P. M.—Judging Cattle.

1:30 P. M.—Judging Dairy Products. Dairy products, one entry to each family of one thing.

Program will close with a Milk Maids contest for both men and women. Premiums for the winner.

T. H. Roensch, Fisher Co. Agent Ozzie Folkes, H. D. Agent

Mrs. J. A. Jackson, Reporter

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Helon Hester are parents of a son, Craig Roughton, born Saturday, June 19, at the Hamlin Clinic. The baby weighed 9 1-2 pounds.

A son, Wesley Lee was born to Mr. and Mrs. Waldo D. Kelsey at the Hamlin Clinic, Sunday, June 20. This 10 pound youngster was a nice Fathers Day gift.

Dr. and Mrs. Q. D. Gould of Stamford visited their son, Don Gould and family here Monday night.

## THIS WEEK

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT

This  
AND A LITTLE BIT OF  
THAT

—This and That, this week, is by remote control.

—Never tried this kind of comment before and it may sound "goofy".

—If you just have to go places, ride your own automobile and stay out of buses...they are needed for furloughed soldiers or their wives or mothers...not many Dads ride these days.

—Notice where the Free Soldier Mail is threatened, because in some instances the soldier's wife or friend has used it as a kind of "free ride"...let us all not infringe on any privilege belonging to a soldier.

—Now here's a modern idea...recently there was a "shoe rush"...it was found most of the customers were girls and women...in one big city in Texas the Shoe Merchants entered into an agreement not to fit any more shoes on bare feet...You see these days there is a good excuse to wear less...stockings. Sweaty feet, dyed toes and paint on the legs soil shoes...new shoes and generally a woman tries on six pairs and finally decides to take the first tried....Watch your step, old No. 18 stamp is coming up and it had better be in the book, not torn out ahead of time.

—Did any body ever see such fine feed crops as are growing in Jones County?...Feed, row after row and field after field and the best stand and color ever seen...The farmers of this part of West Texas are doing a big job producing feeds and foods for a hungry world.

—Been taking a little poll of how soldiers feel about strikes...They are becoming more outspoken against any kind of quitting or laying on war essential jobs...they are like the vast majority of Americans...can't understand what is clogging the wheels...seeming to ask.... Why? Just why does not somebody get the parties to agree to some thing...what has been dropped into the cogs that can't be removed? ...Maybe it was the broadcast freezing of wages...maybe one law or rule reacts against another...it is silly to let things go on to confuse, to hurt the men in service...watch 'em clean up when they return.

—Here is a clear statement from the United Mine Workers: "The Mine workers have no favors to grant the coal operators nor the members of the War Labor Board, who have dishonored their trust, BUT will make any necessary sacrifices for the Government, for the well-being of its citizens; for the upholding of our Flag, and for the triumph of our war effort."...so says the miners, "accordingly to do all things necessary for the production and distribution of coal, as directed by the Secretary of the Interior." So that sounds as if the owners and operators are to blame for the strike and not the miners.

—Let's get on with the war.... there is man power to spare...so far only a few know there is a war on...if you don't believe it, look around a little more.

## Card of Thanks

I take this method of expressing my thanks and appreciation to my friends and neighbors who have been so kind to me while I was recovering from the injury which I received three weeks ago. (34P)

JOHN RAY HOLLAND

Miss Edwina Gilbert left Thursday for Columbia University, New York, to do six weeks studying.

Mrs. R. A. Sanderlin and little daughter, De Gwen, of Dumas, are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Townsend in the Hitson community.

Dode Sanford, who had a severe heart attack Sunday, is reported to be improving.

**MEET YOUR NEIGHBORS**

MEXICO, ONE-FOURTH THE SIZE OF THE U.S., IS A REPUBLIC OF 19,653,552 PEOPLE. MEXICO IS AN IMPORTANT ALLY SUPPLYING MANY WAR MATERIALS SUCH AS COPPER, ZINC, LEAD AND PETROLEUM.

ONCE THE EMPIRE OF THE AZTEC INDIANS, MEXICO WAS CONQUERED BY THE SPANIARDS IN 1521, THREW OFF SPANISH RULE EXACTLY 300 YEARS LATER. TODAY IT IS A LAND OF MODERN HIGHWAYS, SCHOOLS AND SMALL FARMS AND INDUSTRIES.

POPOCATEPETL, SUBJECT OF AZTEC FOLKLORE AND MEXICO'S SECOND HIGHEST MOUNTAIN.

COFFEE, ONE OF MEXICO'S MAJOR PRODUCTS, IS NOW BEING SENT OVERLAND INTO THE U.S. TO RELIEVE THE SHIPPING SHORTAGE AND HELP U.S. COFFEE DRINKERS GET MORE OF THEIR FAVORITE BEVERAGE.



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## Put Victory First On The Fourth!

The Texas Safety Association made that appeal to patriotic Texans today in launching a statewide campaign against Fourth of July accidents that waste man power, material and time vital to victory.

Thirty-eight statewide organizations are joining with the Association in the greatest mass attack on holiday accidents ever made in this state.

Public officials, safety leaders and citizens throughout the state are being asked to enlist in this holiday campaign in a united effort to prevent accidents which last year took a toll of 87 lives in July alone.

Wartime travel restrictions and the fact that many of the state's war plants will be working full blast through the holiday period may reduce the normal Fourth of July traffic volume. The Association pointed out, however, that many workers will have a long week-end holiday and that traffic hazards still prevail, even on short drives.

The Association made these specific holiday safety suggestions.

1. Stay close to home. Don't drive unless you absolutely have to.

2. Don't take any trips unless you have to, even on a public conveyance. Crowds on trains and buses increase travel hazards.

"This year," said R. B. Rooper, president of the Association, "we are not only celebrating our independence, but are fighting to preserve it. Let us not jeopardize our independence by causing accidents which impede our fight to maintain it."

"The prevention of accidents is more than ever the patriotic duty of every citizen, for accidents slow production of war materials. We who are still at home can at least make sure that we do nothing to make it harder for our fighting men. If acci-

dents keep weapons and supplies from them, then accidents must stop. "Remember—accidents help the Axis. Let's avoid them and put victory first on the Fourth!"

### Up Your Savings



**WELL PAY YOU BACK TOJO**  
**if it takes our last dime!**  
**BUY MORE WAR BONDS**

There will be American justice for the savages of Tokio but our trial and punishment of Tojo and his criminals will cost blood, sweat, toil and tears and money. You can supply the money by upping your war bond buying through the payroll savings plan. Figure it out yourself and see where the money is coming from. How much does it cost you and your family to live each month? How much money is coming in from all members of your family? Put the extra money into war bonds, every penny of it. Let 10 per cent be only the starting point for figuring your allotment.

U. S. Treasury Department

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dunlap of Abilene were here last Thursday and Friday visiting Mrs. G. P. Odom. Mr. Dunlap has been transferred from Abilene to Paris, Texas, where he will be manager of a wholesale concern.

## Medical Center Opens in Dallas



DR. DONALD SLAUGHTER

Registration of summer classes of the Southwestern Medical Foundation, starting Monday, will continue through two weeks up to the opening of the new medical school in Dallas, July 1. According to Dr. Donald Slaughter, dean of the medical school, most classes are full. A \$1,500,000 fund-raising campaign is now in process to build and equip the first unit of the Greater Medical Center in Dallas. Temporary buildings are being erected to house the school until such time materials can be had for the construction of the main building. The Medical Center is a \$25,000,000 project and is to render service to more than 14,000 people in the Southwest.

## WE SLING GYPSUM

Gypsite Reporters  
(By Geraldine Brown—Joan Carr)

Miss Frances Nichols left Monday for Abilene where she will start training in the Hendricks Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. W. A. Brown spent several days in the Rotan Hospital last week. She is reported doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Early and daughter Wanda of Hawley are visiting in the home of Mrs. J. B. Early.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barnes of Rotan visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lockhart Sunday.

Wayne Gibson and Buddy Bishop of Rule visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Downing last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ewing and children Doyle and Shirley of Lubbock are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McWright.

Mrs. Jack Terrell of Denver City visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Vaughan.

Mrs. S. S. Tabb of Conroe is visiting in the home of Mrs. J. B. Early. Miss Wilda Jean Fancher was visiting her old friends here last week.

Miss Louise Riddle is visiting in McCaulley with friends.

Mrs. S. C. Dunn honored her daughter Joyce on her eleventh birthday June 17, with a party. Cake and punch were served to the following: Marjorie Galloway, Frances Martin, Marceda Marshman, Bobbie Jean Brown, Betty Gene Hines, Iris Ann Criswell, Rosie Pearl Meeks, Neda and Irma Lee Green, Flora Ware, Jerry Carr, Charlie Wayne Lee, Durwood and Delbert Smith. A good time was reported by all.

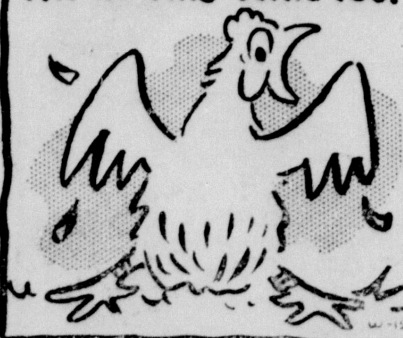
Daurice, Mary Frances and Fred-ding Ewing of Fort Worth are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Clark and friends.

Pvt. Glenn Wesley Bond of Camp Barkeley visited his mother and family Sunday.

The pulpit will be filled Sunday by Rev. E. R. Hankins. Every one is invited to attend.

Mrs. Garland Femster of Seymour visited last week in the home of Mrs. G. P. Odom.

### I'M IN THIS WAR TOO!



Yes, indeed! I'm mighty proud to be furnishing some of the 57,369,633 eggs Uncle Sam's asked for in '43. It takes five of us hens to lay enough eggs for just one soldier's yearly supply, and you can bet we're all laying to beat the Axis.

## Classified

### MILCH COWS FOR SALE

Fresh now—they are extra good ones. At our place 2 1-2 miles north of Aspermont. Priced reasonably.

WADE FARRELL (33-2P)

### WANT BATH TUB

Would like to buy good second hand bath tub.

WADE FARRELL (33-2P)

Aspermont, Texas

### CATTLE FOR SALE

Have seven head cattle, good stuff, two cows, one calf and 4 yearlings for sale at my place, 10 miles West on the highway.

(34P)

GEO. W. LENARD

### FENCE CHARGER

I have a good fence charger and 18 months 6 volt battery, been used about 5 weeks, with over \$2.00 worth of insulators, all for \$20.00. Guaranteed.

(34P)

R. E. BREWER

### LOST

A black bill fold containing Government papers and gasoline coupons. \$5.00 reward if returned to

CLINTON PACKWOOD

Route 4 or Herald Office. (34)

### STRAYED OR STOLEN

About 450 lb. blue roan yearling, three weeks ago. Notify

CLYDE STEWART (34P)

Route 3, Anson, Texas

### FOR RENT

3 room Apartment, south exposure, nicely furnished.

(34P)

MRS. G. H. JOINER

### SECTION LABORERS

WANTED: 15 laborers to work on track between Sweetwater and Canyon. 48c per hour, 10 hours per day, time and one-half after eight hours. Contact nearest Santa Fe Agent.

(34)

### CATTLE FOR SALE

Poll Hereford Bull, subject to register, weighin g1700 or 1800 lbs. and several cows for sale.

(34)

CARL GREENWAY

### PICK-UP FOR SALE

Dodge Pick-up, good condition, tires recapped.

(34)

CARL GREENWAY

### IMPLEMENTS FOR SALE

John Deere Tractor, planter, cultivator, 11-disc one-way plow and wheat drill.

(34)

CARL GREENWAY

### MILCH COW FOR SALE

An unusually good milch cow for sale. To appreciate her, come to my house, first house West of Hinson school at milking time—8:00 o'clock morning or evening.

(34P)

BILLIE GRAY

### SUIT CASE FOUND

A suit case was found on highway, containing women's clothes. yon. 48c per hour, 10 hours per and paying for ad.

(34P)

J. F. DRENNAN

McCaulley, Texas

### PIANO FOR SALE

Piano in good condition for sale at a bargain.

(34)

Mrs. J. B. Adkins

### FARM FOR SALE

300 acres land in Crosby County, good improvements, 14 miles Northwest Ralls, including crops and the place can be irrigated. Better look at this before you buy. See Pete Terrell, Hamlin, or write

(34-P)

T. E. LEE

Route 1, Petersburg, Texas

## Fresh Peaches & Plums

FOR SALE at THE DUNNAM FRUIT FARM 12 miles south of Hamlin, lots of Fresh Peaches and Plums. For the rest of this week and next.

(34P)

Lydia O'Neal spent the past week end with Dorothy Sue Marr at Aspermont.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Eivens of Lubbock are announcing the birth of a daughter, Tuesday, June 15, at the West Texas Hospital. The baby weighed 8 pounds, 14 1-2 ounces, and the name is Marilyn Beth. Mr. and Mrs. Eivens formerly made their home in Hamlin, and both were employed at the Farmers and Merchants National Bank.

Lawrence Herring, wife and son Clifford Lee visited his mother, Mrs. E. M. Herring and family last week. He is employed in defense work at Orange, Texas.

Mrs. R. L. Winkles of Corpus Christi is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Beavers and other relatives.

## About Soldiers--Sailors

A short letter from Corporal George W. Scott asks for a change of address in his Hamlin Herald, so that he can receive news from home while he is on maneuvers. We note the change from Pfc. to Corporal. Congratulations.

— S &amp; S —

R. F. Walton Jr. came in Monday from New York to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. P. H. Sparks. Walton is a Sailor, Fireman First Class, with 2 1-2 years' service.

— S &amp; S —

Dr. and Mrs. L. S. Magee have received a letter from their son, Coy Magee, saying he has landed in Africa. Coy did not hear from home for more than three months and the first mail to reach him was three Hamlin Herald. He is now receiving letters from home, and we hope all of those that have been written to him will soon reach his base.

— S &amp; S —

Lieut. J. C. Turner came over from Fort Sill, Okla., to spend Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Turner and to visit with his grandmother, Mrs. N. Phillips of Bonham, who is a guest in the Turner home. He was accompanied by Miss Margaret Williams, of Walters, Oklahoma.

— S &amp; S —

Corpl. Welton R. Jameson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barto Jameson, residing on Route 2, Hamlin, has been graduated from the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command School at Briggs Manufacturing Company, Detroit, Michigan where he has successfully completed an intensive course of instruction on Aircraft Power Turrets. He was promoted to the grade of Corporal.

Corpl. Jameson has been in the armed forces 8 months.

—Public Relations Office

— S &amp; S —

Maxwell Field, Ala.—R. A. Dean, son of R. S. Dean of Hamlin, is now enrolled as an aviation cadet in the Army Air Forces Pre-Flight School for Pilots at Maxwell Field, located on the outskirts of Montgomery, the capitol of Alabama.

Cadet Dean was a student at Texas Technological College at Lubbock, Texas, when he entered the Army Air Forces, where he served as an enlisted man for one year before he was accepted as an aviation cadet for pilot training on June 1, 1943.

—Public Relations Office

— S &amp; S —

Lubbock Army Air Field—Glendon T. Hemphill of Hamlin has just completed an intensive course in air plane mechanics at this field and has been awarded a rating as Airplane Mechanic. Pvt. Hemphill is the son of T. N. Hemphill of Rt. 2 and has two brothers who are also in the armed services.

— S &amp; S —

Lieut. Frank O. Hillier and wife, and Pfc. James O. (Ottie) Huling of Hondo, were here the past week for a short visit.

— S &amp; S —

Pvt. John Jenkins of Kingman, Arizona, has been transferred to Amarillo for further training in the air corps.



Figure It Out Yourself. How can you effectively join in saving all the little children of the world from human slavery, death and injury from the Nazis and Japanese? Put more and more of your pay into war bonds every payday. Your savings will go to war in the form of war equipment and other munitions. How much more should you put into war bonds? The only ones who can answer that are—you and your family. It's up to you to decide just how much more you'll do to win the war.

If you were fighting in the Solomons or in Africa or forcing a landing in Europe you'd like to feel that the folks at home were back of you—all the way—you'd be proud of your family and your friends if you knew they were buying war bonds not at 10 per cent or 15 per cent, but with every cent beyond that which they need for necessities.

U. S. Treasury Department

## FORMER HAMLIN MOTHER HAS EIGHT SONS IN THE SERVICE

Cleburne, Texas

June 13, 1943

Mr. Bowen Pope,

Dear Sir:

When my subscription to the paper is out, renew it for me. Hamlin will always be home to me because I lived there thirty years and have so many friends there. I cannot write every one, so I take this method of thanking them for their kindness to me. I came to Cleburne to be near my children, I bought me a nice home here, and like it fairly well.

I saw in the paper where Mrs. Garrett has five sons in the service of our country. I have her beat, I have eight in service and four are overseas. All volunteered except one and he is only eighteen. I am proud of them all. All I can do is pray for them.

I really enjoy the paper. Best wishes for you and every one.

Mrs. T. M. Hill

— S &amp; S —

A letter dated June 3, from our Paratrooper friend, Cpl. D. T. Townsend, is headed "Still Somewhere in North Africa." Donnell says "I got two Herald's today, and believe me they really help the morale of the soldier boy. There is nothing we boys look forward to more than getting mail from home. Over a dozen boys have already asked to read my papers."

It really makes us feel good to know people at home are doing such a grand job, buying bonds—that helps a great deal, but when we hear about people striking for higher wages, that doesn't sound so good. If they could see across the water, and know what we boys over here are doing, they would not strike because they are not making \$200 a week." He says, "The hardest thing of all we have found to do is to learn to do without."

— S &amp; S —

S. C. Ferguson, Jr., one of the mainstays on the Piper foot ball team, has gone in the Navy. S. C. finished Hamlin Hi in 1942 and spent the past year at A. & M. College, where he was on the Reserve list. He left Monday for San Diego, Calif. and more will be heard from him later.

— S &amp; S —

Pvt. George Benchoff, who has been here visiting his mother, Mrs. Nannie Benchoff, has returned to the Army Air Base at Alamogordo, New Mexico.

— S &amp; S —

Chief Petty Officer, L. E. Morgan was here Sunday and Monday to visit his mother, Mrs. Florence Morgan. He is being transferred from Pensacola, Florida, to San Francisco, California, for new assignment.

— S &amp; S —

Lieut. Bill Scott, of Camp Bowie, has been spending a ten days furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Frances Scott.

— S &amp; S —

Camp Santa Anita, Calif. — The medal of Marksman in rifle shooting is now being worn by Pvt. Jessie D. Boren, formerly of Hamlin, because of his accuracy on the range.

Pvt. Boren's record shooting was done at slow fire, and half at rapid fire. He attended school at Hamlin and is the son of Eddie L. Boren of Hamlin.

—Public Relations Office

— S &amp; S —

Two Hamlin youths, J. C. Winters, 18, and Gilbert Bowman, Jr., left Monday for San Diego, Calif., where they will report for duty in the Navy.

## LIFE'S Little TROUBLES



## -CAN'T SLEEP-

No need to lie in bed—toss—worry and fret because CONSTIPATION or GAS PRES-SURE won't let you sleep. Be sensible—get up—take a dash of

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as directed, to relieve the pressure of large intestines on nerves and organs of the digestive tract. Adler-I-Ka assists old food wastes and gas through a comfortable bowel movement so that bowels return to normal size and the discomforts of pressure stop. Before you know it, you are asleep. Morning finds you feeling clean—refreshed and ready for a good day's work or fun. Get Adler-I-Ka from your druggist today.

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Sometimes when you've a long distance call to a war-busy place, the operator will say—

"Please limit your call to five minutes. Others are waiting."

This doesn't happen all the time, because many long distance calls go through about as usual.

But whenever we have had to ask that calls be kept to five minutes, there has been a fine spirit of co-operation from the public.

We want to say thanks for that. Your help and understanding count double these days.

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO.





# Clubs-Society



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## Miss La Verne Hix and Mr. Gean Witt Married Sunday

Miss La Verne Hix, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hix, and Mr. Gean Witt, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Witt, were married Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. The wedding took place in the Methodist church with the pastor, Rev. James E. Harrell, reading the single ring ceremony. Only members of the immediate families were present.

The bride wore a dress of navy blue with white accessories. Her flowers were white carnations fashioned into a shoulder corsage.

Both the bride and groom are graduates of the Hamlin High School, finishing their course with the class of 1943. Mrs. Witt is employed at the Witt Jewelry Store and Gift Shop, and Mr. Witt is employed with the Safeway Store.

The couple have an apartment in Mrs. M. Y. Wilson's home.

Mrs. Juanita Jenkins and son have gone to Amarillo to make their home there while Pvt. John Jenkins is in training in the air corps. Pvt. Jenkins was recently transferred from Kingman, Arizona.

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## Announce

### Approaching Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hill, of Maricopa, Arizona, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Koleta Zane, to Mr. Norman C. Bonine, of Clifton, Arizona.

Miss Hill lived in Hamlin and attended Hamlin Schools until about four years ago when she moved with her parents to Silver City, New Mexico, and later to Arizona.

Mr. Bonine's home is in Clifton, Arizona, where he is employed in the Post Office.

### "Renegotiation" Might Touch You

Under no other circumstances is the fine spirit of neighborly cooperation shown to better advantage in a rural community than in the case of fire or other calamity. This friendly spirit is not based upon personal interest, but upon the deep sympathy that just naturally arises in case of disaster. Of course, there is a personal interest if the fire threatens our own property, but we like to think this unity of spirit in our rural life is typical of America.

There is this same community of interest between industry, labor and agriculture, although sympathy for each other's troubles seldom comes to the surface.

Every farmer knows that his best market for the produce of his farm is our local domestic market. He depends upon this domestic market to consume over 90 per cent of what our American farms produce each year. If anything happens to his domestic market, like the depression and loss of employment in the early thirties, agriculture is at once affected. On the other hand, if anything happens to the buying power of agriculture, industry is hurt just as badly.

Right now congress is considering the renegotiation of all government contracts. The law was passed on April 28, 1942. Some people are urging that these new renegotiation bureaus should examine contracts made long before the law was passed.

Take the case of a contract made in 1940. The work has been done and paid for; taxes have been paid to the government on the profits, if any; labor has been paid and the money balance distributed either in repairs to plant or perhaps paid in dividends to stockholders.

**Danger of Retroactive Measures.** Suppose that same thing happened to our local store, or even to our farmers themselves. Suppose the prices we received for our crops, or the conservation payments by the government for 1941 or 1940 were suddenly to be "renegotiated." Every farmer has either fed out or sold his crop, purchased new machinery or perhaps painted the barn, or bought a new dress for his wife. If, under a retroactive law, he were suddenly put up against the threat of renegotiation, all of his credit, and perhaps even his investment would be disturbed.

No one wants unfair profits or excessive dividends out of war contracts. Investigation has shown that over 95 per cent of industry and business made no excessive profits out of the war. Certainly no farmers have received excessive prices for farm crops.

**Now Is the Time for Unity** We want to get on with this war. We must have unity. Unity is based upon mutual confidence in our government and in each other. We are all looking forward to a return of peace after the war has been won. We will then want to resume our domestic markets, replace worn-out farm machinery and resume our normal trade relationships. Industry and business will need all of their American ingenuity and strength to provide jobs which, in turn, furnish our domestic market after the war.

True, renegotiation at present is applied only to industry and contracts with the government. But we all recognize the good old American principle that what is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander.

If business contracts can be renegotiated under a law passed long after the business contracts were made, how about the sanctity of our own contracts?

Just now the fire seems far from our own neighborhood, but if we look closely, our domestic markets, both now and after the war, are involved. We can well take time off to show a little neighborly spirit and help put out the fire.

### The Peoples' Edict

Money to pay for the war, yes; but no money for frills in the civil operations of any of our governing bodies. That is the edict of the American people.

At present the Herald can be had one year for \$1.00 anywhere.

## Mrs. Frances Scott's Family In Reunion

All of the children of Mrs. Frances Scott were together in her home for a week end visit, except one daughter, Mrs. Lois Hale, who is employed in defense work in San Antonio, and could not come.

Those present were Lieut. Bill Scott, of Camp Bowie; Mrs. Joe Oneal and children Joseph, Sharon, and Johnnie Beth of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Roy George and sons, Kenneth and Don of Jal, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott, of Sweetwater; K. T. Scott and children of Hamlin, and Mickey, who lives with his mother. Others present were two nieces, Frances and Barbara Ann Hale, and a nephew, Jimmy Hale, all of Boerne.

**Our Job Is to Save Dollars Buy War Bonds Every Pay Day**

Mrs. Fred Day returned Sunday from Quanah where she had been two weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. Aubrey Carroll and a new grandson. She was accompanied home by her granddaughter, Doris Lane and Miss Robbie and Clea Owens.

Mrs. J. P. McClung of Ballinger, was here the past week to visit friends.

**UP your bond buying THROUGH PAYROLL SAVINGS** U. S. Treasury Department

## CRISIS IN MANPOWER

Today's problem of manpower means as much to the farmer with one hired hand, or the merchant with a single clerk, as it does to the industrialist who employs a thousand persons. It is all a matter of proportion.

The war program has reached such a stupendous size that the proper distribution of manpower assumes as much importance as the right use of steel, oil, rubber, or any other essential material or product.

It has been such a short time since there was more manpower than industry and agriculture could absorb that we may be a bit slow in waking up to the fact that today each man and woman who can be used to help in the battle of production is needed, and needed badly.

For the benefit, then, of farmers whose crops and livestock will suffer this year if manpower is not replenished; for the benefit of the armed services which have set their sights at possibly 10 million in uniform before 1944; for the benefit of the factories which must turn out ammunition, shoes, clothing, supplies and processed foods in ever-increasing quantities for fighters, civilians and allied nations, a careful stock-taking of manpower is required.

**Where Manpower Is Wasted** Our new Congress must make sure that those in charge of this task, in Washington, cast about to see where able-bodied people are being needlessly employed. And in that city of Washington these authorities are now rubbing elbows with thousands of clerks, auditors, stenographers and others who could be used elsewhere without interfering with the war effort in any measure.

Recent figures showed that there were 2,606,300 persons on the civilian payroll of the federal government. This is not only a million more than were in our armed forces in foreign lands at the time the President made his address at the opening of the present Congress, but it is three times as many as were

on the government's civilian payroll during the first World War. Of course this is a bigger war, but that only furnishes an even greater reason why the government should lead in conserving manpower for our farms and factories.

### The "Renegotiation" Law

A single measure, introduced in Congress last year, would require thousands of new payrollers to carry out its provisions. This was the act providing that the Army, Navy and Maritime commission should each check its war contracts so that renegotiation could be demanded in cases of excessive charges.

The purpose of this legislation—to make sure that the government was not paying too much for its materials and supplies—was not questioned. But the proposed method of rechecking all war contracts called for the hiring of such a large number of new federal employees that amendments to the bill were quickly demanded.

Although the bill has been rewritten and amended, it still places upon the Army, Navy and Maritime commission so much of the responsibility for re-examining their contracts that thousands of new auditors and accountants would be needed. This violates the principle that united war effort calls for the placing of every available man and woman in productive work, at the same time helping to keep the taxpayers' federal load as light as possible, consistent with wartime demands.

An acceptable amendment to this law—not yet adopted—would leave it to the Department of Internal Revenue to uncover instances of excess profit. By using this established checking system, the other departments would not have to hire extra people to wade through the 95 per cent or more of war contracts which are honestly and conscientiously executed.

Here is but one example of how manpower can be conserved in these days when the efforts of all must be directed toward winning the war.

Miss Virginia Sue Flowers, who is employed at the Fair, in Ft. Worth, was here last week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Flowers. From here she went on to California for a visit with friends.

Mrs. Duffield Smith and sons, Duffield Jr. and Wade of Dallas, are here to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cassle.

Mrs. Van Huling and daughters went to Amarillo Monday to visit her husband who is employed there in defense work.

Mrs. Archie Myers of San Angelo, George and Allen Abernathy, of Chicago, have been here this week to visit their father, A. H. Abernathy.

## MT. ZION NEWS

By Bonnie Campbell

Wednesday evening the people of the Mt. Zion community gave Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cooper a gift shower, as they have started house keeping. There was no prayer meeting at the church.

Friday evening the Young People's Sunday School class met at the church and went from there to the Hamlin Park for a picnic. The following were present: Roy, Doil and Adele Thompson; Myrl, Freddy and Lois Terry; Clifford and Glennon Jameson; Ruby and Ellen Gartman; Billy Jo, Mary Nell and Christine Cooper; Bonnie and Jenelle Campbell; Alma Lee and Vern King; Roy Cooper. Mrs. W. J. Campbell chaperoned.

Mrs. Henry McCoy and sons Harold and Hershel from Abilene, are visiting in the Rev. W. J. Campbell home.

Mrs. Ruby Cooper and her nephew, D. C. Walker, were called to Louisiana to be with Mrs. Walker, who is to have a serious operation soon.

Last week Mrs. Morris Cooper of Midland visited her mother and father-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. Cooper. She left her small daughter, Ginger, with her grand parents.

Adele Thompson and Bonnie Campbell spent Sunday with Billy Jo Mary Nell and Christine Cooper.

**EVERYBODY EVERY PAYDAY 10% AT LEAST Buy U.S. WAR BONDS**

Miss Maxine Brundage returned Wednesday from Chicago, where she has been a student in the Chicago Conservatory of Music. She will visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Brundage until July 1, when she will go to Fort Worth to attend the summer session of T. C. U.



Then he yells - 'BOMBS AWAY!'

What boy wouldn't like to just sit in a flying fortress! And to fly it... well, this pilot ranks with Superman!

One look at the instrument panel and you feel the same way. It's hard to believe that ordinary mortals could ever master the maze of dials, buttons, levers and switches required to fly and fight a 30-ton bomber.

But a lot of West Texas boys are doing it with deadly efficiency. (Ask Adolf, Benito or Tojo.) And they don't learn their jobs just by reading a book. It takes intensive training and practical experience to produce the bomber teams who risk their lives together.

The electric business is like that. You can't make kilowatt-hours with theories. You've got to learn how—the hard way.

That's the way most of the men and women with us

got their start. It's the American way. Do a better job—and you get better jobs to do.

It's the system of free enterprise. It's simple—but it works.

It works so well that America's big peacetime industries became great war machines overnight.

It works so well that America's electric companies, under business management, were able to supply war plants with far more electric power than any nation has ever known before in addition to normal peacetime needs.

They're doing the job without rationing—and without increased cost to you!

It works so well that we're winning the war in spite of socialistic bureaucracies. But to hasten the day of victory, the bureaucrats must concentrate on the war and desist from their plans to permanently change our system of government by which America stands to lose its freedom at home.

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## POT SHOTS FROM McCAULEY

BY GEO. DARDEN

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Maberry last week were Mrs. Bob Lewis of Clifton, Arizona, their daughter, and Glenn Gray, a nephew who is in the Navy and stationed at San Diego.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mayo are their grandsons from El Paso, Billie and Leroy Farrow.

C. E. Dick Jr. leaves June 30th for training camp in Kansas, and not July 30th as was stated in last week's Herald. (Our error).

W. E. (Bill) Maberry and grandson Jerry Mac, Mr. and Mrs. Wick Miers and sons of Lamesa, visited last week end with parents and other relatives in this community.

Besides beef and pork, about the highest things in West Texas are weeds and wages. One farmer from the Plains tells us that he is paying boys, ages ranging from twelve to fourteen, \$3.00 per day for cotton chopping. Some farmers are paying four and four and one-half for cotton choppers in some areas. "Nice work if you can get it."

The largest crowd in many weeks attended the Men's class at the McCauley Baptist church last Sunday. Earnest Webb is president of the class and he invites you to attend as often as possible.

Mrs. Randal Parker and little son Novice visited last week end in the home of parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Dick.

Mr. Fainsworth, a farm employee of W. C. Keene, was seriously hurt last Monday morning when his head was caught between two levers on a tractor and the power lift fell crushing his head. He was rushed to a Rotan hospital suffering from a severe cut across the head and face. No further report at this writing.

The Akin sisters and Mrs. Louis Hopkins who are employed at the Bomber plant in Fort Worth, visited relatives in McCauley over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leldon Clifton of Imperial were visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Rector last week. Mr. Clifton left for the Army Monday.

Juneteenth was celebrated in McCauley by swarms of the colored race who enjoyed the occasion with big feeds and a dance all night at the tin shack. With the exception of a few who were rather topsy-turvy from the effects of home brew and chock, the day was just another Juneteenth.

Thanks to the person who is responsible for our getting the Market Bulletin, a weekly which is published in Atlanta, Ga., by the Department of Agriculture, and the Hon. Tom Linder, Commissioner of that State, is the Editor.

Mrs. C. E. Dick and C. E. Jr. visited with her daughters in Crosbyton last Sunday.

Sgt. Lofton, a grand son of Mr. J. H. Milsap, visited over the week end with relatives in this vicinity. Sorry we did not get his army address.

The little grand daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson are visiting in the home of their grand parents. Their home is in San Angelo.

Local news is scarce this week due to the fact the writer has been "wind-milling" and canning beans, and we don't get around much any more. Will be with you next week with more news, maybe so good, and maybe so bad. So until then, Yours, George.

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Now We Have Gone Into The Business of Rationing Food We Didn't Produce

(This letter was written in 1933)

Mr. Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Secretary:

My friend, Bordeaux, over in Terrehonne Parish received a \$1,000.00 check from the Government this year for not raising some hogs. So we are going into the non-raising hog business next year. We are going to help the NRA because we will naturally need some men on our plantation to not help us raise any hogs. What we want to know, Mr. Wallace, is: In your opinion what is the best kind of farm not to raise hogs on and the best strain of hogs not to raise. We would prefer not to raise any razor-backs, but if that is not a good breed not to raise, we will just as gladly not raise any Berkshires or Durocs or Blue Boys. We will need a little money not to finance this venture and we also want to know if we could issue some non-hog raising gold bonds? The hardest work in this business is going to be keeping inventory of how many hogs we haven't raised. Bordeaux is very joyful about the future of our business. He has been raising hogs for over twenty years now, and the best he ever made was \$400 in 1918—that was until this year when he got \$1,000 for not raising any hogs. If we can get \$1,000 for not raising fifty hogs, then will we get \$2,000 for not raising 100 hogs? We plan to operate on a small scale at first, holding ourselves down to about not raising 40,000 hogs, which means we will have \$800,000. Now another thing Mr. Wallace. These hogs that we will not raise will not eat more than 100,000 bushels of corn. We understand that you also pay farmers for not raising corn. So, will you pay us anything for not raising 100,000 bushels of corn not to feed the hogs we are not raising? We want to get started as soon as possible. This seems to be a good time of the year for not raising hogs.

Your obedient servant

Octave Broussard

(NOTE: This scribe thought the above letter had a lot of humor as well as some truth, so a reprint from the Market Bulletin, published in Georgia.)

A DARDEN-O-GRAM

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Mrs. Dan D. Jones is still in the Hospital at Stamford. Dr. Bunkley reports she is doing nicely. She hopes to be able to come home the last of this week or at least by the first of next week. However, she will be confined to her bed most of the time for several days after she returns home.

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Catsup Red Hill Tomato 14-Oz. Bot. 12¢ Points Per Bot. 10

### Red Stamp Values

Cherub Milk Tall Can 9¢ Points Per Can 1

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### Soap Values

Swan Soap 3 Lge. Bars 29¢

Rinso Granulated Soap 24-Oz. Pkg. 23¢

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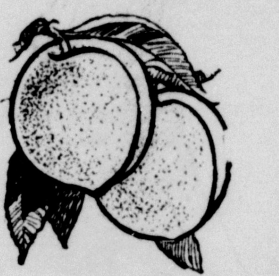
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## SYLVESTER NEWS ITEMS

By Merrena Vaughan

We are very glad to report B. B. Etheridge is home from the hospital and doing nicely.

Pfc. Jack Wright of Ft. Sam Houston is visiting his mother, Mrs. Luther McCollum.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Clark of Mertzon are the proud parents of a son. Mrs. Clark is the former Jessie Jewel Montgomery.

Mrs. Evelyn Fry has returned to Borger after spending several days visiting her mother, Mrs. S. J. Mauldin.

Pfc. John Martin Ferguson of Fort Bragg, N. C., is spending a 15 days furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson also have with them their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Lee. Sorry Robert, I don't know your rank.

Mrs. G. S. Barnes has had as her guests her two sisters. They returned to their homes on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran B. Mauldin and children of Clairmont were visiting relatives here over the week end.

First Lieut. and Mrs. Charles Gould visited in the home of Mrs. Gould's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hazie Ward over Sunday. Mrs. Ward reports their son Joe Bailly is now

in New York and is a submarine gunner.

Pvt. Morris Rocquemore of Bryan is spending a three days leave with his parents.

Miss Eddy B. Shipman of Paris, Texas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Shipman.

Miss Opal Jean Josey, Miss Penny Ferguson and Miss Rowena Newhouse of A. C. C. spent the week end with their parents.

Alton (Stormy) Perkins of Freeport, Texas, is visiting his sisters here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamont Haley of Stamford spent the week end with Mrs. Haley's parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Williams.

I wish to thank two more subscribers, Mr. Chas. Ferguson, Route A., McCauley and Mrs. J. E. Tindall, Trent.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bessire and family have entertained the following in their home during the past week: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson and daughters, Miss Billy Jo and Mrs. Ferrell Welch of Seymour; Pvt. Ferrell Welch, of Camp Barkeley; A. A. Bessire and daughter Bobbie of Levelland; E. J. Perkins and daughter June Denver City; E. B. Wilkerson of Tyler; Dr. and Mrs. Milton Bessire of Dallas, and Miss Annie Kirkpatrick of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Heflin Miller returned Saturday from a visit in Alabama and Natches, Mississippi. They were accompanied on their trip by Misses Odell Johnson and Thelma Andrews of Abilene.

Ira Clements went to Rang Monday to accompany Mrs. J. Adkins home. Mrs. Adkins has been spending several weeks in Rang with her daughter, Mrs. H. Scruggs and family. Mr. Scruggs who has been athletic coach of t Ranger High school, has accepted coaching position in the Dall schools.

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Mrs. O. R. Southerland of Dall is here to visit her sister, M Florence Morgan and her mother Mrs. McMillan.

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The Herald stated last week that Elbert L. Harris had received a final discharge from the army; instead he has been transferred Enlisted Reserve. He was in t army about seven and one-half months and was about the last his age group to leave Camp How. He says that you don't feel so good when you get out, knowing that t younger fellows have to stay in.

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## If You Have No Canner You Can Make One!

"All authorities on home canning advise that non-acid vegetables be canned by processing (cooking in jars) in a steam pressure cooker because a pressure cooker is the only household utensil that can retain a much hotter than boiling temperature. High temperatures are desirable when canning beans, peas, corn, greens, etc., because they insure more certain destruction of bacteria and because the canning can be done more quickly. But," says Gladys Kimbrough, Home Service Director of Ball Brothers Company, who heartily approves using a pressure cooker whenever possible, "the time is at hand when we must be practical. Don't worry if you can't buy a pressure cooker for surely you can find a wash boiler, lard can, baby bath tub or some deep container in which water can be boiled. Tack a few strips of wood together to make a rack or platform to hold the jars about one-half inch from the bottom of the container. Find something, even if it has to be a board, to use as a lid. Then you will have a water-bath canner for those Victory garden vegetables.

"You are afraid to eat vegetables canned that way? Nonsense! A lot of folks who say a water bath can't be used were raised on vegetables canned by that method. But let's get three things clear before we go any further: first, there have been a few instances of poisoning from eating canned vegetables; second, all such danger can be avoided by boiling the canned vegetables 15 minutes before tasting or serving—they should be re-boiled before serving if left over from one meal to the next; third, a pressure cooker is not a guarantee against spoilage. There will be spoilage if the pressure gauge registers too low or if poor judgment is used in the selection, preparation, and packing food into the jars. And do not let anybody tell you otherwise.

"Now back to the water bath. The water should be steaming but not boiling when the jars are lowered into it and deep enough to cover the tops of the jars two or more inches. No, water won't get into the jars if directions are followed. The water should be brought to boiling as quickly as possible and kept boiling steadily throughout the canning period.

"Any jar suitable for use in home canning (and only those with names lettered on them are suitable) may be used for water bath processing. Mason jars may be sealed with one piece zinc cap and rubber—if you can find the caps—with glass top seal or with two-piece vacuum seal caps. Glass top seal closures and vacuum caps seal on the top edge of the jar, therefore it is necessary to make sure the top edges of the jars are even, smooth, and perfect in every respect. The bands are screwed down tight on the vacuum seals as soon as the jars are filled to within from one to one-half inch of the top, and should not be tightened again. Zinc caps are screwed down on the rubber bands and then loosened slightly. Bands for glass top seals are screwed down and then loosened. This tightening and loosening is called 'partly sealing' and should always be done before jars are placed in a canner. Seals are completed by tightening caps or bands immediately after processing.

"Then there is the jar with a glass lid and rubber ring held in place with wires—it is ideal for canning, especially when fitted with high-tension, stretch-proof, steel wire. It is partly sealed before and completely sealed after processing.

"Those who select vegetables that are young, tender, and right out of the garden, and waste no time in washing them clean, cooking them five to ten minutes, and pouring into clean, hot jars and processing immediately, will live to laugh at those who say it can't be done. It is the Cans, not the Can'ts, who are going to win the war on both home and battle front."

Dr. and Mrs. Milton Bessire of Dallas are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bessire, before going to Winston Salem, North Carolina, where Dr. Bessire will intern. They are accompanied by Miss Annie Kirkpatrick of Abilene, a sister of Mrs. Bessire.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cotten and son are visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Elvins at Lubbock.

## Lions Club Cleans Up Service Men's Window

The Lions Club sponsored Service Windows have a new dress! Tuesday night the committee, A. Spencer and Harry Dodson met at the Red Cross room to work the windows over and were joined by other good

Many pictures are on display, but there are still many more boys from this community who are not represented in these Service Windows. If you know of a boy in service who is not honored by having his picture in one of these windows, please help us secure a picture.

A. Spencer  
Harry Dodson

Lions, Herman McBride, George Malouf, Roy Gilbreath, Howard Nall, and Haskell Carter.

All the pictures were taken from the windows, dusted and straightened in their frames and names and rank attached.

Windows were washed inside and out and the floor swept and dusted. Shelves for better display were installed and some of the pictures were hung on the wall. A standing committee will look after the windows in the future and keep things in good order.

## Thanks To Customers

We wish to thank each and every one of you for the business you have given us in the past and hope to serve you again in the future. I was forced off the route and did not get to thank each one. Anyone owing me please leave at Wilcox Feed Store.

MRS. H. A. PERKINS

## University of Texas To Offer Religious Courses

Austin, Texas — University of Texas students will have the opportunity to add religious education courses to their summer program this year for the first time.

Bible and religious education courses have for many years been taught in the long session, but this is the first time they have been available in the summer.

Religious educators say they expect a much larger than usual influx of new students this summer, due to the war-accelerated training program and the University's new calendar of three 16-week terms, and they wish to make it possible for these students to start religious education along with their academic training.

This work, while not offered as part of the University curriculum, may be taken for credit toward University degrees. It is given under the auspices of the Association of Religious Teachers, composed of educators attached to the various churches in the University community.

Courses to be offered this summer, beginning July 5, include Life and Teachings of Jesus, Life and Letters of Paul, the Social Teachings of Jesus, and the Family as a Moral and Religious Agency in Religious Education.

## NAZARENE CHURCH

Our revival is starting off well. Bro. Battin is doing some preaching of the Word that all people should hear. These are days when all men need help from God to enable them to face the tests of this age, and through the preaching of the Bible we all may receive strength, courage and faith.

We urge that you attend these services each evening promptly at 9:00 o'clock and each morning at 10:00 o'clock.

Our Sunday School will open at 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.  
Bro. Battin will preach.  
N. Y. P. S. will meet at 8:00 P. M.  
An Evangelistic service begins at 9:00 P. M.

Come to church Sunday and bring your family and friends.

Don't forget two services a day all next week at the Church of the Nazarene.

Dan D. Jones, Pastor

## RATION REMINDER

GASOLINE—"A" book coupons No. 6, good for four gallons each until midnight, July 21st.

SUGAR—Coupon No. 13 good for 5 lbs., through August 15. Coupons No. 15 and 16 are good for 5 lbs. each for home canning purposes. Housewives may apply to their local boards for additional rations if necessary.

COFFEE—Stamp No. 24 (1 lb) good through June.

SHOES—Stamp No. 18 in War Ration Book One good for one pair through October 31st.

MEATS, Etc.—Red stamps, J. K. L, M and N good through June 30.

PROCESSED FOODS—Blue stamps K, L and M will continue good through July 7.

## 4-H Boys Honored For Production Of Food

Six Jones County 4-H Club boys, Wayne Ashburn, E. B. Clifton, Borden Manley, Junior Welsh, Glenn Reeves and Alvin Jensen were honored by Camp Berkeley June 18th for their efforts in behalf of food production.

In addition to seeing army training and equipment in detail the boys were told by Lieut. Drury, a former 4-H Club member, that though they were too young to fight they could distinguish themselves in food, feed and fiber production. James M. Binion, County Agent, was with the boys.

## FIRE DESTROYS FARM HOME JOHN ED DAY SOUTH TOWN

Fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed the farm home of John Ed Day, and all contents, just South of Hamlin on the banks of the creek last Saturday afternoon.

The Fire Department answered the call but the fire had such headway that the building could not be saved. However, the fire was controlled to the extent that other nearby buildings were saved.

The house was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Jake Farmer, who lost all household furnishing and their clothing.

## DR. L. S. MAGEE TAKES SHORT VACATION

Dr. and Mrs. L. S. Magee returned Friday from a week's trip to the Valley where they had gone to give Dr. Magee a much needed rest. Accompanying them to do the driving was their daughter, Miss Katherine Magee and Miss Maudell Farrow.

While away they visited their daughter, Mrs. J. A. Wilhite, and family in Harlingen and made a trip across the border into Mexico.

Misses Maidel and Arnel Sorenson and Rozena Helton returned to their home in Wheeler Friday after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Barry and their daughter, Betty Jayne.

## EDITOR IN DALLAS

Since last Friday Bowen Pope, Editor of The Hamlin Herald, has been in Dallas for medical treatment, so if news is scarce this week...we just could not get around to get it all.

Latest report is that Mr. Pope's condition is much improved, and he will likely be able to come home by the first of next week.

## No Serious Labor Shortage Jones Co.

From all reports to the County Agent's office, there is no serious labor shortage at this time in Jones County with the possible exception of trained tractor operators. Farmers, farm women and children are attempting to solve the problem by themselves by that good old policy of "neighborly help", trading labor from farm to farm and neighborhood to neighborhood, seems to be solving the cotton chopping and hoeing problem.

Lack of trained tractor operators has increased the amount of hoeing due to the inability of available operators to get to the crops in time. Some farmers report that there is plenty of labor available if they could compete with business and industrial wages.

For those farmers who are in need of farm labor, the County Agent is in position to render assistance through the New Farm Labor Program recently established by Congress.

## Encampment

The Intermediate Encampment for boys and girls of the Abilene district will be held at Buffalo Gap next week. Dr. C. A. Bickley, district superintendent of the Abilene district, will have general supervision of the camp.

About 150 boys and girls attended the camp last year. About ten boys and girls are expected to attend from Hamlin. The Rev. J. E. Harrell is to teach a subject at the camp.

## METHODIST CHURCH JAMES E. HARRELL, Pastor

Sunday School at 10 A. M.  
Morning Worship at 11 o'clock.  
Youth Fellowship program at 7:30 P. M.

Evening service, 8:30.  
The Woman's Society of Christian Service will not meet Monday afternoon.

Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 8:30.

The pastor will bring the sermon messages at both the morning and evening services next Sunday.

Don't let the hot summer days keep you away from church. If you think it too hot to attend church, remember it is a lot hotter in that place where non-church-going people go.

We are always glad to have visitors in our services.

## Mrs. A. H. Abernathy Died In San Angelo After 3 Days' Illness

Friends of Mrs. A. H. Abernathy were shocked and grieved Thursday morning of last week, when they learned that she had died in San Angelo that morning. She had been ill but three days and only her closest neighbors and friends knew of her illness. Sunday night, June 13, she was taken by ambulance to the San Angelo Clinic Hospital for treatment, arriving there Monday Morning at 1:20. She died Thursday morning at 7:30 from heart trouble and pneumonia.

Funeral services were held Monday, June 21, in San Angelo in the Robert-Massey Parlors, conducted by the Rev. A. C. Donath, pastor of the First Baptist church of San Angelo. Burial was in Fairmont Cemetery.

Mrs. Abernathy was born January 22, 1885 in Mart, Texas, and at the time of her death was 58 years, 5 months and 25 days of age. Her maiden name was Dora M. Ferguson.

On November 23, 1902 she was married to A. H. Abernathy in Waco where they made their home for three years. Then they moved to Merkel, Big Spring, Sweetwater, Hamlin, and on to San Angelo where they made their home for twenty-five years. Mr. Abernathy is employed as an engineer on the Santa Fe Railroad. In 1932 they returned to Hamlin, where they have since lived.

Mrs. Abernathy was a member of the First Baptist church of Hamlin, and was an active member of the T. E. L. Class of the Baptist Sunday School.

Surviving are the husband, one daughter, Mrs. Archie Myers, of San Angelo, and three sons, James E. of Hamlin, George B. and Allen S., both of Chicago. All were present for the funeral. Others attending were a brother of Mrs. Abernathy, Robert Ferguson of Hico, and a niece, Mrs. T. C. Robertson, of Hamlin. A sister, Mrs. Frank Heath of Laredo, a brother, Eddie Ferguson of Waco, and a niece, Mrs. Gaylon Robertson of Pampa, were unable to attend.

Pall bearers were W. R. Harmon, John P. Balch, R. D. Freeman, J. B. Davenport, H. H. Allen and B. Mosley, all of San Angelo.

## Agricultural Show Will Be Held In Rotan 30th

Enjoy the only Agricultural Show in Fisher County, 1943, June 30th.

The Show will be held at the High school building.

The Fisher County Dairy Cattle and Products Classification Day. Everything is evident that we should have a profitable show both from the number of entries and the educational angle.

Guest speakers, E. R. Eudaly of A. & M. College, Texas.

Chas. Stephens, Louisiana S. U., Baton Rouge.

I. B. Duck, president West Texas Jersey Cattle Club.

PROGRAM  
10 to 11 A. M.—Judging contests of both Dairy Cattle and Products.

11 to 12:30—Educational talks on Good Dairy Management.

12:30 to 1:30—Lunch.

1:30 P. M.—Judging Cattle.

1:30 P. M.—Judging Dairy Products. Dairy products, one entry to each family of one thing.

Program will close with a Milk Maids contest for both men and women. Premiums for the winner.

T. H. Ruensch, Fisher Co. Agent

Ozzie Folkes, H. D. Agent

Mrs. J. A. Jackson, Reporter

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Helon Hester are parents of a son, Craig Roughton, born Saturday, June 19, at the Hamlin Clinic. The baby weighed 9 1-2 pounds.

A son, Wesley Lee was born to Mr. and Mrs. Waldo D. Kelsey at the Hamlin Clinic, Sunday, June 20. This 10 pound youngster was a nice Fathers Day gift.

Dr. and Mrs. Q. D. Gould of Stamford visited their son, Don G. and family here Monday night.

## THIS WEEK A LITTLE BIT ABOUT This AND A LITTLE BIT OF THAT

—This and That, this week, is by remote control.

—Never tried this kind of comment before and it may sound "goofy".

—If you just have to go places, ride your own automobile and stay out of buses...they are needed for furloughed soldiers or their wives or mothers...not many Dads ride these days.

—Notice where the Free Soldier Mail is threatened, because in some instances the soldier's wife or friend has used it as a kind of "free ride"....let us all not infringe on any privilege belonging to a soldier.

—Now here's a modern idea....

recently there was a "shoe rush"... it was found most of the customers were girls and women....in one big city in Texas the Shoe Merchants entered into an agreement not to fit any more shoes on bare feet....

You see these days there is a good excuse to wear less....stockings. Sweaty feet, dyed toes and paint on the legs soil shoes....new shoes and generally a woman tries on six pairs and finally decides to take the first tried....Watch your step, old No. 18 stamp is coming up and it had better be in the book, not torn out ahead of time.

—Did any body ever see such fine feed crops as are growing in Jones County?...Feed, row' after row and field after field and the best stand and color ever seen....The farmers of this part of West Texas are doing a big job producing feeds and foods for a hungry world.

—Been taking a little poll of how soldiers feel about strikes.... They are becoming more outspoken against any kind of quitting or laziness on war essential jobs....they are like the vast majority of Americans.... can't understand what is clogging the wheels....seeming to ask....

Why? Just why does not somebody get the parties to agree to some thing....what has been dropped into the cogs that can't be removed? ...Maybe it was the broadcast freezing of wages....maybe one law or rule reacts against another....it is silly to let things go on to confuse, to hurt the men in service....watch 'em clean up when they return.

—Here is a clear statement from the United Mine Workers: "The Mine workers have no favors to grant the coal operators nor the members of the War Labor Board, who have dishonored their trust, BUT will make any necessary sacrifices for the Government, for the well-being of its citizens; for the upholding of our Flag, and for the triumph of our war effort."....so says the miners, "accordingly to do all things necessary for the production and distribution of coal, as directed by the Secretary of the Interior." So that sounds as if the owners and operators are to blame for the strike and not the miners.

—Let's get on with the war.... there is man power to spare....so far only a few know there is a war on....if you don't believe it, look around a little more.

—O-O-O—

Card of Thanks

I take this method of expressing my thanks and appreciation to my friends and neighbors who have been so kind to me while I was recovering from the injury which I received three weeks ago. (34P)

JOHN RAY HOLLAND

Miss Edwina Gilbert left Thursday for Columbia University, New York, to do six weeks studying.

—O-O-O—

Mrs. R. A. Sanderlin and little daughter, De Gwen, of Dumas, are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Townsend in the Hiltson community.

—O-O-O—

Dode Sanford, who had a severe heart attack Sunday, is reported to be improving.



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## Put Victory First On The Fourth!

The Texas Safety Association made that appeal to patriotic Texans today in launching a statewide campaign against Fourth of July accidents that waste man power, material and time vital to victory.

Thirty-eight statewide organizations are joining with the Association in the greatest mass attack on holiday accidents ever made in this state.

Public officials, safety leaders and citizens throughout the state are being asked to enlist in this holiday campaign in a united effort to prevent accidents which last year took a toll of 87 lives in July alone.

Wartime travel restrictions and the fact that many of the state's war plants will be working full blast through the holiday period may reduce the normal Fourth of July traffic volume. The Association pointed out, however, that many workers will have a long week-end holiday and that traffic hazards still prevail, even on short drives.

The Association made these specific holiday safety suggestions.

1. Stay close to home. Don't drive unless you absolutely have to.

2. Don't take any trips unless you have to, even on a public conveyance. Crowds on trains and buses increase travel hazards.

"This year," said R. B. Roaper, president of the Association, "we are not only celebrating our independence, but are fighting to preserve it. Let us not jeopardize our independence by causing accidents which impede our fight to maintain it."

"The prevention of accidents is more than ever the patriotic duty of every citizen, for accidents slow production of war materials. We who are still at home can at least make sure that we do nothing to make it harder for our fighting men. If acci-

dents keep weapons and supplies from them, then accidents must stop. "Remember—accidents help the Axis. Let's avoid them and put victory first on the Fourth!"

## Up Your Savings



**WE'LL PAY YOU BACK TOJO**  
if it takes our last dime!

**BUY MORE WAR BONDS**

There will be American justice for the savages of Tokio but our trial and punishment of Tojo and his criminals will cost blood, sweat, toil and tears and money. You can supply the money by upping your war bond buying through the payroll savings plan. Figure it out yourself and see where the money is coming from. How much does each month? How much money is coming in from all members of your family? Put the extra money into war bonds, every penny of it. Let 10 per cent be only the starting point for figuring your allotment.

U. S. Treasury Department

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dunlap of Abilene were here last Thursday and Friday visiting Mrs. G. P. Odom. Mr. Dunlap has been transferred from Abilene to Paris, Texas, where he will be manager of a wholesale concern.

## Medical Center Opens in Dallas



DR. DONALD SLAUGHTER

Registration of summer classes of the Southwestern Medical Foundation, starting Monday, will continue through two weeks up to the opening of the new medical school in Dallas, July 1. According to Dr. Donald Slaughter, dean of the medical school, most classes are full. A \$1,500,000 fund-raising campaign is now in process to build and equip the first unit of the Greater Medical Center in Dallas. Temporary buildings are being erected to house the school until such time materials can be had for the construction of the main building. The Medical Center is a \$25,000,000 project and is to render service to more than 14,000,000 people in the Southwest.

## WE SLING GYPSUM

Gypsy Reporters  
(By Geraldine Brown—Joan Carr)

Miss Frances Nichols left Monday for Abilene where she will start training in the Hendricks Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. W. A. Brown spent several days in the Rotan Hospital last week. She is reported doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Early and daughter Wanda of Hawley are visiting in the home of Mrs. J. B. Early.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barnes of Rotan visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lockhart Sunday.

Wayne Gibson and Buddy Bishop of Rule visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Downing last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ewing and children Doyle and Shirley of Lubbock are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McWright.

Mrs. Jack Terrell of Denver City visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Vaughan.

Mrs. S. S. Tabb of Conroe is visiting in the home of Mrs. J. B. Early.

Miss Wilda Jean Fancher was visiting her old friends here last week.

Miss Louise Riddle is visiting in McCaulley with friends.

Mrs. S. C. Dunn honored her daughter Joyce on her eleventh birthday June 17, with a party. Cake and punch were served to the following: Marjorie Galloway, Frances Martin, Marceda Marshman, Bobbie Jean Brown, Betty Gene Hines, Iris Ann Criswell, Rosie Pearl Meeks, Neda and Irma Lee Green, Flora Ware, Jerry Carr, Charlie Wayne Lee, Durwood and Delbert Smith. A good time was reported by all.

Daurice, Mary Frances and Fred-ding Ewing of Fort Worth are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Clark and friends.

Pvt. Glenn Wesley Bond of Camp Barkeley visited his mother and family Sunday.

The pulpit will be filled Sunday by Rev. E. R. Hankins. Every one is invited to attend.

Mrs. Garland Femster of Seymour visited last week in the home of Mrs. G. P. Odom.

## I'M IN THIS WAR TOO!



Yes, indeed! I'm mighty proud to be furnishing some of the 57,350,000 eggs Uncle Sam's asked for in '43. It takes five of us hens to lay enough eggs for just one soldier's yearly supply, and you can bet we're all laying to beat the Axis.

## Classified

### MILCH COWS FOR SALE

Fresh now—they are extra good ones. At our place 2 1-2 miles north of Aspermont. Priced reasonably.

WADE FARRELL (33-2P)

### WANT BATH TUB

Would like to buy good second hand bath tub.

WADE FARRELL (33-2P)

Aspermont, Texas

### CATTLE FOR SALE

Have seven head cattle, good stuff, two cows, one calf and 4 yearlings for sale at my place, 10 miles West on the highway.

GEO. W. LENARD (34P)

### FENCE CHARGER

I have a good fence charger and 18 months 6 volt battery, been used about 5 weeks, with over \$2.00 worth of insulators, all for \$20.00. Guaranteed.

R. E. BREWER (34P)

### LOST

A black bill fold containing Government papers and gasoline coupons. \$5.00 reward if returned to

CLINTON PACKWOOD

Route 4 or Herald Office. (34)

### STRAYED OR STOLEN

About 450 lb. blue roan yearling, three weeks ago. Notify

CLYDE STEWART (34P)

Route 3, Anson, Texas

### FOR RENT

3 room Apartment, south exposure, nicely furnished.

MRS. G. H. JOINER (34P)

### SECTION LABORERS

WANTED: 15 laborers to work on track between Sweetwater and Canyon. 48c per hour, 10 hours per day, time and one-half after eight hours. Contact nearest Santa Fe Agent.

### CATTLE FOR SALE

Poll Hereford Bull, subject to register, weighin g1700 or 1800 lbs. and several cows for sale.

Call 246 or see (34)

CARL GREENWAY

### PICK-UP FOR SALE

Dodge Pick-up, good condition, tires recapped.

Call 246 or see (34)

CARL GREENWAY

### IMPLEMENTS FOR SALE

John Deere Tractor, planter, cultivator, 11-disc one-way plow and wheat drill.

Call 246 or see (34)

CARL GREENWAY

### MILCH COW FOR SALE

An unusually good milch cow for sale. To appreciate her, come to my house, first house West of Hitson school at milking time—8:00 o'clock morning or evening.

BILLIE GRAY (34P)

### SUIT CASE FOUND

A suit case was found on highway, containing women's clothes, yon. 48c per hour, 10 hours per and paying for ad.

J. F. DRENNAN (34P)

McCaulley, Texas

### PIANO FOR SALE

Piano in good condition for sale at a bargain.

Mrs. J. B. Adkins (34)

Phone 227

### FARM FOR SALE

300 acres land in Crosby County, good improvements, 14 miles Northwest Ralls, including crops and the place can be irrigated. Better look at this before you buy. See Pete Terrell, Hamlin, or write

T. E. LEE (34-4P)

Route 1, Petersburg, Texas

## Fresh Peaches & Plums

FOR SALE at THE DUNNAM FRUIT FARM 12 miles south of Hamlin, lots of Fresh Peaches and Plums. For the rest of this week and next.

(34P)

Lydia O'Neal spent the past week end with Dorothy Sue Marr at Aspermont.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Eivens of Lubbock are announcing the birth of a daughter, Tuesday, June 15, at the West Texas Hospital. The baby weighed 8 pounds, 14 1-2 ounces, and the name is Marilyn Beth. Mr. and Mrs. Eivens formerly made their home in Hamlin, and both were employed at the Farmers and Merchants National Bank.

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Lawrence Herring, wife and son Clifford Lee visited his mother, Mrs. E. M. Herring and family last week. He is employed in defense work at Orange, Texas.

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Mrs. R. L. Winkles of Corpus Christi is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Beavers and other relatives.

## About Soldiers--Sailors

### FORMER HAMLIN MOTHER HAS EIGHT SONS IN THE SERVICE

Cleburne, Texas

June 13, 1943

Mr. Bowen Pope,  
Dear Sir:

When my subscription to the paper is out, renew it for me. Hamlin will always be home to me because I lived there thirty years and have so many friends there. I cannot write every one, so I take this method of thanking them for their kindness to me. I came to Cleburne to be near my children, I bought me a nice home here, and like it fairly well.

I saw in the paper where Mrs. Garrett has five sons in the service of our country. I have her beat, I have eight in service and four are overseas. All volunteered except one and he is only eighteen. I am proud of them all. All I can do is pray for them.

I really enjoy the paper. Best wishes for you and every one.  
Mrs. T. M. Hill

— S & S —

A letter dated June 3, from our Paratrooper friend, Cpl. D. T. Townsend, is headed "Still Somewhere in North Africa." Donnell says "I got two Heralds today, and believe me they really help the morale of the soldier boy. There is nothing we boys look forward to more than getting mail from home. Over a dozen boys have already asked to read my papers."

It really makes us feel good to know people at home are doing such a grand job, buying bonds—that helps a great deal, but when we hear about people striking for higher wages, that doesn't sound so good. If they could see across the water, and know what we boys over here are doing, they would not strike because they are not making \$200 a week." He says, "The hardest thing of all we have found to do is to learn to do without."

— S & S —

S. C. Ferguson, Jr., one of the mainstays on the Piper foot ball team, has gone in the Navy. S. C. finished Hamlin Hi in 1942 and spent the past year at A. & M. College, where he was on the Reserve list. He left Monday for San Diego, Calif. and more will be heard from him later.

— S & S —

Pvt. George Benchoff, who has been here visiting his mother, Mrs. Nannie Benchoff, has returned to the Army Air Base at Alamogordo, New Mexico.

— S & S —

Chief Petty Officer, L. E. Morgan was here Sunday and Monday to visit his mother, Mrs. Florence Morgan. He is being transferred from Pensacola, Florida, to San Francisco, California, for new assignment.

— S & S —

Lieut. Bill Scott, of Camp Bowie, has been spending a ten days furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Frances Scott.

— S & S —

Camp Santa Anita, Calif. — The medal of Marksman in rifle shooting is now being worn by Pvt. Jessie D. Boren, formerly of Hamlin, because of his accuracy on the range.

Pvt. Boren's record shooting was done at slow fire, and half at rapid fire. He attended school at Hamlin and is the son of Eddie L. Boren of Hamlin.

— Public Relations Office

— S & S —

Two Hamlin youths, J. C. Winters, 18, and Gilbert Bowman, Jr., left Monday for San Diego, Calif., where they will report for duty in the Navy.

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# Clubs-Society



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## Miss La Verne Hix and Mr. Gean Witt Married Sunday

Miss La Verne Hix, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hix, and Mr. Gean Witt, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Witt, were married Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. The wedding took place in the Methodist church with the pastor, Rev. James E. Harrell, reading the single ring ceremony. Only members of the immediate families were present.

The bride wore a dress of navy blue with white accessories. Her flowers were white carnations fashioned into a shoulder corsage.

Both the bride and groom are graduates of the Hamlin High School, finishing their course with the class of 1943. Mrs. Witt is employed at the Witt Jewelry Store and Gift Shop, and Mr. Witt is employed with the Safeway Store.

The couple have an apartment in Mrs. M. Y. Wilson's home.

Mrs. Juanita Jenkins and son have come to Amarillo to make their home here while Pvt. John Jenkins is in training in the air corps. Pvt. Jenkins was recently transferred from Kingman, Arizona.

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## Announce

### Approaching Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hill, of Maricopa, Arizona, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Koleta Zane, to Mr. Norman C. Bonine, of Clifton, Arizona.

Miss Hill lived in Hamlin and attended Hamlin Schools until about four years ago when she moved with her parents to Silver City, New Mexico, and later to Arizona.

Mr. Bonine's home is in Clifton, Arizona, where he is employed in the Post Office.

### "Renegotiation" Might Touch You

Under no other circumstances is the fine spirit of neighborly co-operation shown to better advantage in a rural community than in the case of fire or other calamity. This friendly spirit is not based upon personal interest, but upon the deep sympathy that just naturally arises in case of disaster. Of course, there is a personal interest if the fire threatens our own property, but we like to think this unity of spirit in our rural life is typical of America.

There is this same community of interest between industry, labor and agriculture, although sympathy for each other's troubles seldom comes to the surface.

Every farmer knows that his best market for the produce of his farm is our local domestic market. He depends upon this domestic market to consume over 90 per cent of what our American farms produce each year. If anything happens to his domestic market, like the depression and loss of employment in the early thirties, agriculture is at once affected. On the other hand, if anything happens to the buying power of agriculture, industry is hurt just as badly.

Right now congress is considering the renegotiation of all government contracts. The law was passed on April 28, 1942. Some people are urging that these new renegotiation bureaus should examine contracts made long before the law was passed.

Take the case of a contract made in 1940. The work has been done and paid for; taxes have been paid to the government on the profits, if any; labor has been paid and the money balance distributed either in repairs to plant or perhaps paid in dividends to stockholders.

**Danger of Retroactive Measures.** Suppose that same thing happened to our local store, or even to our farmers themselves. Suppose the prices we received for our crops, or the conservation payments by the government for 1941 or 1940 were suddenly to be "renegotiated." Every farmer has either fed out or sold his crop, purchased new machinery or perhaps painted the barn, or bought a new dress for his wife. If, under a retroactive law, he were suddenly put up against the threat of renegotiation, all of his credit, and perhaps even his investment would be disturbed.

No one wants unfair profits or excessive dividends out of war contracts. Investigation has shown that over 95 per cent of industry and business made no excessive profits out of the war. Certainly no farmers have received excessive prices for farm crops.

**Now Is the Time for Unity** We want to get on with this war. We must have unity. Unity is based upon mutual confidence in our government and in each other. We are all looking forward to a return of peace after the war has been won. We will then want to resume our domestic markets, replace worn-out farm machinery and resume our normal trade relationships. Industry and business will need all of their American ingenuity and strength to provide jobs which, in turn, furnish our domestic market after the war.

True, renegotiation at present is applied only to industry and contracts with the government. But we all recognize the good old American principle that what is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander.

If business contracts can be renegotiated under a law passed long after the business contracts were made, how about the sanctity of our own contracts?

Just now the fire seems far from our own neighborhood, but if we look closely, our domestic markets, both now and after the war, are involved. We can well take time off to show a little neighborly spirit and help put out the fire.

### The Peoples' Edict

Money to pay for the war, yes; but no money for frills in the civil operations of any of our governing bodies. That is the edict of the American people.

At present the Herald can be had one year for \$1.00 anywhere.

## Mrs. Frances Scott's Family In Reunion

All of the children of Mrs. Frances Scott were together in her home for a week end visit, except one daughter, Mrs. Lois Hale, who is employed in defense work in San Antonio, and could not come.

Those present were Lieut. Bill Scott, of Camp Bowie; Mrs. Joe Oneal and children Joseph, Sharon, and Johnnie Beth of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Roy George and sons, Kenneth and Don of Jal, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott, of Sweetwater; K. T. Scott and children of Hamlin, and Mickey, who lives with his mother. Others present were two nieces, Frances, and Barbara Ann Hale, and a nephew, Jimmy Hale, all of Boerne.

**Our Job Is to Save Dollars Buy War Bonds Every Pay Day**

Mrs. Fred Day returned Sunday from Quanah where she had been two weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. Aubrey Carroll and a new grandson. She was accompanied home by her granddaughter, Doris Lane and Miss Robbie and Cleve Owens.

Mrs. J. P. McClung of Ballinger, was here the past week to visit friends.

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## CRISIS IN MANPOWER

Today's problem of manpower means as much to the farmer with one hired hand, or the merchant with a single clerk, as it does to the industrialist who employs a thousand persons. It is all a matter of proportion.

The war program has reached such a stupendous size that the proper distribution of manpower assumes as much importance as the right use of steel, oil, rubber, or any other essential material or product.

It has been such a short time since there was more manpower than industry and agriculture could absorb that we may be a bit slow in waking up to the fact that today each man and woman who can be used to help in the battle of production is needed, and needed badly.

For the benefit, then, of farmers whose crops and livestock will suffer this year if manpower is not replenished; for the benefit of the armed services which have set their sights at possibly 10 million in uniform before 1944; for the benefit of the factories which must turn out ammunition, shoes, clothing, supplies and processed foods in ever-increasing quantities for fighters, civilians and allied nations, a careful stock-taking of manpower is required.

### Where Manpower Is Wasted

Our new Congress must make sure that those in charge of this task, in Washington, cast about to see where able-bodied people are being needlessly employed. And in that city of Washington these authorities are now rubbing elbows with thousands of clerks, auditors, stenographers and others who could be used elsewhere without interfering with the war effort in any measure.

Recent figures showed that there were 2,606,300 persons on the civilian payroll of the federal government. This is not only a million more than were in our armed forces in foreign lands at the time the President made his address at the opening of the present Congress, but it is three times as many as were

on the government's civilian payroll during the first World War. Of course this is a bigger war, but that only furnishes an even greater reason why the government should lead in conserving manpower for our farms and factories.

### The "Renegotiation" Law

A single measure, introduced in Congress last year, would require thousands of new payrollers to carry out its provisions. This was the act providing that the Army, Navy and Maritime commission should each check its war contracts so that renegotiation could be demanded in cases of excessive charges.

The purpose of this legislation—to make sure that the government was not paying too much for its materials and supplies—was not questioned. But the proposed method of rechecking all war contracts called for the hiring of such a large number of new federal employees that amendments to the bill were quickly demanded.

Although the bill has been rewritten and amended, it still places upon the Army, Navy and Maritime commission so much of the responsibility for re-examining their contracts that thousands of new auditors and accountants would be needed. This violates the principle that united war effort calls for the placing of every available man and woman in productive work, at the same time helping to keep the taxpayers' federal load as light as possible, consistent with wartime demands.

An acceptable amendment to this law—not yet adopted—would leave it to the Department of Internal Revenue to uncover instances of excess profit. By using this established checking system, the other departments would not have to hire extra people to wade through the 95 per cent or more of war contracts which are honestly and conscientiously executed.

Here is but one example of how manpower can be conserved in these days when the efforts of all must be directed toward winning the war.

Miss Virginia Sue Flowers, who is employed at the Fair, in Ft. Worth, was here last week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Flowers. From here she went on to California for a visit with friends.

Mrs. Duffield Smith and sons, Duffield Jr. and Wade of Dallas, are here to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cassle.

Mrs. Van Huling and daughters went to Amarillo Monday to visit her husband who is employed there in defense work.

Mrs. Archie Myers of San Angelo, George and Allen Abernathy, of Chicago, have been here this week to visit their father, A. H. Abernathy.

## MT. ZION NEWS

By Bonnie Campbell

Wednesday evening the people of the Mt. Zion community gave Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cooper a gift shower, as they have started house keeping. There was no prayer meeting at the church.

Friday evening the Young People's Sunday School class met at the church and went from there to the Hamlin Park for a picnic. The following were present: Roy, Doil and Adele Thompson; Myrl, Freddy and Lois Terry; Clifford and Glennon Jameson; Ruby and Ellen Gartman; Billy Jo, Mary Nell and Christine Cooper; Bonnie and Jenelle Campbell; Alma Lee and Vern King; Roy Cooper. Mrs. W. J. Campbell chaperoned.

Mrs. Henry McCoy and sons Harold and Hershel from Abilene, are visiting in the Rev. W. J. Campbell home.

Mrs. Ruby Cooper and her nephew, D. C. Walker, were called to Louisiana to be with Mrs. Walker, who is to have a serious operation soon.

Last week Mrs. Morris Cooper of Midland visited her mother and father-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. Cooper. She left her small daughter, Ginger, with her grand parents.

Adele Thompson and Bonnie Campbell spent Sunday with Billy Jo Mary Nell and Christine Cooper.

**EVERYBODY EVERY PAYDAY AT LEAST 10% Buy U.S. WAR BONDS**

Miss Maxine Brundage returned Wednesday from Chicago, where she has been a student in the Chicago Conservatory of Music. She will visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Brundage until July 1, when she will go to Fort Worth to attend the summer session of T. C. U.



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## POT SHOTS FROM M'CAULLEY

—BY GEO. DARDEN—

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Maberry last week were Mrs. Bob Lewis of Clifton, Arizona, their daughter, and Glenn Gray, a nephew who is in the Navy and stationed at San Diego.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mayo are their grandsons from El Paso, Billie and Leroy Farrow.

C. E. Dick Jr. leaves June 30th for training camp in Kansas, and not July 30th as was stated in last week's Herald. (Our error).

W. E. (Bill) Maberry and grandson Jerry Mac, Mr. and Mrs. Wick Miers and sons of Lamesa, visited last week end with parents and other relatives in this community.

Besides beef and pork, about the highest things in West Texas are weeds and wages. One farmer from the Plains tells us that he is paying boys, ages ranging from twelve to fourteen, \$3.00 per day for cotton chopping. Some farmers are paying four and four and one-half for cotton choppers in some areas. "Nice work if you can get it."

The largest crowd in many weeks attended the Men's class at the McCaulley Baptist church last Sunday. Earnest Webb is president of the class and he invites you to attend as often as possible.

Mrs. Randal Parker and little son Novice visited last week end in the home of parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Dick.

Mr. Fainsworth, a farm employee of W. C. Keene, was seriously hurt last Monday morning when his head was caught between two levers on a tractor and the power lift fell crushing his head. He was rushed to a Rotan hospital suffering from a severe cut across the head and face. No further report at this writing.

The Akin sisters and Mrs. Louis Hopkins who are employed at the Bomber plant in Fort Worth, visited relatives in McCaulley over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leldon Clifton of Imperial were visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Rector last week. Mr. Clifton left for the Army Monday.

Juneteenth was celebrated in McCaulley by swarms of the colored race who enjoyed the occasion with big feasts and a dance all night at the tin shack. With the exception of a few who were rather topsy-turvy from the effects of home brew and chock, the day was just another Juneteenth.

Thanks to the person who is responsible for our getting the Market Bulletin, a weekly which is published in Atlanta, Ga., by the Department of Agriculture, and the Hon. Tom Linder, Commissioner of that State, is the Editor.

Mrs. C. E. Dick and C. E. Jr. visited with her daughters in Crosbyton last Sunday.

Sgt. Lofton, a grand son of Mr. J. H. Milsap, visited over the week end with relatives in this vicinity. Sorry we did not get his army address.

The little grand daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson are visiting in the home of their grand parents. Their home is in San Angelo.

Local news is scarce this week due to the fact the writer has been "wind-milling" and canning beans, and we don't get around much any more. Will be with you next week with more news, maybe so good, and maybe so bad. So until then, Yours, George.

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Now We Have Gone Into The Business of Rationing Food We Didn't Produce

(This letter was written in 1933)

Mr. Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Secretary:

My friend, Bordeaux, over in Terrebonne Parish received a \$1,000.00 check from the Government this year for not raising some hogs. So we are going into the non-raising hog business next year. We are going to help the NRA because we will naturally need some men on our plantation to not help us raise any hogs. What we want to know, Mr. Wallace, is: In your opinion what is the best kind of farm not to raise hogs on and the best strain of hogs not to raise. We would prefer not to raise any razor-backs, but if that is not a good breed not to raise, we will just as gladly not raise any Berkshires or Durocs or Blue Boys. We will need a little money not to finance this venture and we also want to know if we could issue some non-hog raising gold bonds? The hardest work in this business is going to be keeping inventory of how many hogs we haven't raised. Bordeaux is very joyful about the future of our business. He has been raising hogs for over twenty years now, and the best he ever made was \$400 in 1918—that was until this year when he got \$1,000 for not raising any hogs. If we can get \$1,000 for not raising fifty hogs, then will we get \$2,000 for not raising 100 hogs? We plan to operate on a small scale at first, holding ourselves down to about not raising 40,000 hogs, which means we will have \$800,000. Now another thing Mr. Wallace. These hogs that we will not raise will not eat more than 100,000 bushels of corn. We understand that you also pay farmers for not raising corn. So, will you pay us anything for not raising 100,000 bushels of corn not to feed the hogs we are not raising? We want to get started as soon as possible. This seems to be a good time of the year for not raising hogs.

Your obedient servant

Octave Broussard

(NOTE: This scribe thought the above letter had a lot of humor as well as some truth, so a reprint from the Market Bulletin, published in Georgia.)

A DARDEN-O-GRAM

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Mrs. Dan D. Jones is still in the Hospital at Stamford. Dr. Bunkley reports she is doing nicely. She hopes to be able to come home the last of this week or at least by the first of next week. However, she will be confined to her bed most of the time for several days after she returns home.

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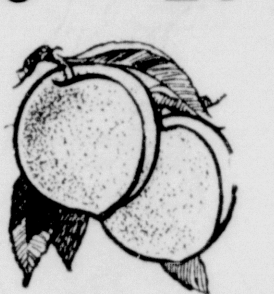
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### SYLVESTER NEWS ITEMS

By Merrena Vaughan

We are very glad to report B. B. Etheridge is home from the hospital and doing nicely.

Pfc. Jack Wright of Ft. Sam Houston is visiting his mother, Mrs. Luther McCollum.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Clark of Merton are the proud parents of a son. Mrs. Clark is the former Jessie Jewel Montgomery.

Mrs. Evelyn Fry has returned to Borger after spending several days visiting her mother, Mrs. S. J. Mauldin.

Pfc. John Martin Ferguson of Fort Bragg, N. C., is spending a 15 days furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson also have with them their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Lee. Sorry Robert, I don't know your rank.

Mrs. G. S. Barnes has had as her guests her two sisters. They returned to their homes on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran B. Mauldin and children of Clairmont were visiting relatives here over the week end.

First Lieut. and Mrs. Charles Gould visited in the home of Mrs. Gould's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hazie Ward over Sunday. Mrs. Ward reports their son Joe Bailly is now

in New York and is a submarine gunner.

Pvt. Morris Rocquemore of Bryan is spending a three days leave with his parents.

Miss Eddy B. Shipman of Paris, Texas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Shipman.

Miss Opal Jean Josey, Miss Penny Ferguson and Miss Rowena Newhouse of A. C. C. spent the week end with their parents.

Alton (Stormy) Perkins of Freeport, Texas, is visiting his sisters here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamont Haley of Stamford spent the week end with Mrs. Haley's parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Williams.

I wish to thank two more subscribers, Mr. Chas. Ferguson, Route A, McCaulley and Mrs. J. E. Tindall, Trent.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bessire and family have entertained the following in their home during the past week: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson and daughters, Miss Billy Jo and Mrs. Ferrell Welch of Seymour; Pvt. Ferrell Welch, of Camp Barkeley; A. A. Bessire and daughter Bobbye of Levelland; E. J. Perkins and daughter June Denver City; E. B. Wilkerson of Tyler; Dr. and Mrs. Milton Bessire of Dallas, and Miss Annie Kirkpatrick of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Heflin Miller returned Saturday from a visit in Alabama and Natches, Mississippi. They were accompanied on their trip by Misses Odell Johnson and Thelma Andrews of Abilene.

Ira Clements went to Ranger Monday to accompany Mrs. J. B. Adkins home. Mrs. Adkins has been spending several weeks in Ranger with her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Scruggs and family. Mr. Scruggs, who has been athletic coach of the Ranger High school, has accepted a coaching position in the Dallas schools.

Mrs. O. R. Southerland of Dallas, is here to visit her sister, Mrs. Florence Morgan and her mother, Mrs. McMillan.

The Herald stated last week that Elbert L. Harris had received his final discharge from the army; instead he has been transferred to Enlisted Reserve. He was in the army about seven and one-half months and was about the last of his age group to leave Camp Howze. He says that you don't feel so good when you get out, knowing that the younger fellows have to stay in.

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